

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

VIRGIN RECORDS AMERICA, INC.)
A California Corp., et al.,)

Plaintiff(s),)

v.)

JOHN DOE,)

Defendant(s).)
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No. C08-1191 BZ

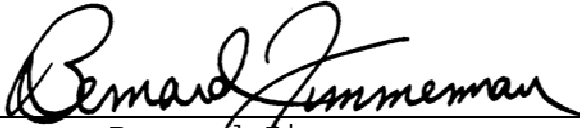
**ORDER GRANTING IMMEDIATE
DISCOVERY**

Upon plaintiffs' Ex Parte Application for Leave to Take Immediate Discovery, the Declaration of Carlos Linares, and the accompanying Memorandum of Law, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that plaintiffs may serve immediate discovery on Stanford University to obtain the identity of defendant John Doe by serving a Rule 45 subpoena that seeks information sufficient to identify John Doe, including the name, current and permanent addresses and telephone numbers, e-mail address, and Media Access Control (MAC) address for John Doe. Without such discovery, plaintiffs cannot identify John Doe, and thus cannot pursue their lawsuit aimed at protecting their

1 copyrighted works from infringement.

2 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that any information disclosed to
3 plaintiffs in response to the Rule 45 subpoena may be used by
4 plaintiffs solely for the purpose of protecting plaintiffs'
5 rights under the Copyright Act.

6 Dated: March 7, 2008

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8 Bernard Zimmerman
United States Magistrate Judge

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